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## THERE IS NO UNBELIEF.

There is no unbelief  
Whoever plants a seed beneath the  
And waits to see it push away the cloud  
Trust he in God,  
There is no unbelief!  
Whoever says when clouds are in the  
sky  
"Be patient, heart, light breaketh by  
and by  
Frustrates the Most High.  
There is no unbelief!  
Whoever sees "neath winter field of  
snow  
The silent harvest of the future grow,  
God's power must know.  
There is no unbelief!  
Whoever lies down on his couch to  
sleep,  
Content to look each sense in slumber  
deep,  
Knows God will keep.  
There is no unbelief!  
Whoever says: "To-morrow," the un-  
known  
"The future," trusts that power alone  
He dares disown.  
There is no unbelief!  
The heart that looks on when dear eye-  
lids close  
And dares to live when life has only  
woof,  
God's comfort knows.  
There is no unbelief!  
For thus by day and night uncon-  
sciously,  
The heart lives by that faith the lips  
deny,  
God knoweth why.  
—Lizzie York Case, in Detroit Free  
Press

## FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS.

### "LIVING AS WE CLIMB."

Pursuant to a call issued by the state organizer, Kentucky for a meeting to Federate the Women's Club of this state, a representative audience met, Thursday December 31st 1903, at 10 o'clock a.m., at the Plymouth Congregational church, corner 17th and Chestnut streets, for the purpose of effecting such an organization. Mrs. M. E. Steward, State Organizer, and Miss G. A. Nugent, Secretary of the Local Committee, who made arrangements for the meeting acted as temporary officers. The meeting opened with singing by the congregation, "Onward Christian Soldiers," Miss A. E. Nugent presiding at the piano. Rev. C. C. Wakefield of Frankfort offered a fervent prayer; after which the congregation joined in singing, "In the Cross of Christ I Glory." The temporary president, Mrs. M. E. Steward, then presented the work of the National Association, its object and aim and the necessity for the Women of Kentucky being organized into such a body. It was then motioned and carried that the Club Women of Kentucky be federated, after which the following Clubs were enrolled: "The Children's Friend Club," Covington, Mrs. F. B. Williams, Misses Fannie Young and M. E. Allen; "Domestic Economy Club," Danville, Mrs. Lillie S. Fisher, "King's Daughter," of Calvary Baptist church Louisville, Mrs. M. V. Parrish, "Louisville Normal Reading Circle," Louisville, Mrs. F. R. Givens, "Woman's Improvement Club," Louisville, Misses G. A. Nugent, Alice Nugent, Madam Nora Bell, Mollie Williams, R. Edwards and E. D. Thomas, "Woman's Industrial Club," Louisville, Miss N. H. Burroughs, Mrs. D. L. Bunker, A. G. Wilkerson, Annie McRide, Alice Lawrence, M. V. Parrish, Miss L. C. Crittenden, Ladies Guild, Mrs. Alice Crutcher, Y. M. C. A. Auxiliary, Louisville, Miss L. M. Gibson, Economic Club, Mrs. S. B. Taylor and Mrs. Rachel D. Harris, Ladies' Sewing Circle, Mrs. M. E. Steward and Mrs. M. A. Ballitt, Board of managers, Misses L. C. Crittenden and Lucy Flint, Sunshine Club, Mrs. Bessie Jones, Music and Literary Club, Mrs. M. Mead, and Misses Sophia Johnson and Carrie Marshall, Pink Rose Club, McKinney, Mrs. M. Duff, Sunshine Improvement Club, Louisville, Mrs. M. A. Bullitt and Mrs. Alice Crutcher. The Federation then went into permanent organization by electing the following officers: President Miss G. A. Nugent, First vice-president Mrs. Lillie S. Fisher,

recording secretary Mrs. R. D. Thomas, assistant secretary Mrs. A. T. Taylor, corresponding secretary M. Gibson, treasurer Mrs. M. V. Parrish and Misses M. E. Steward and M. A. Ballitt. Young were appointed to escort and install the officers to their respective positions which was done in a very complimentary manner, each officer responding with a short address. The following executive board was then appointed: Chairman Mrs. M. E. Steward, Mesdames M. V. Parrish, F. R. Givens, Susan Davis, A. G. Wilkerson, M. H. Bullitt, Rachel Harris, Nora Bell, Bessie Jones, Misses Lucy Flint, Sophia Johnson. Motioned and carried that all the officers of the Federation be ex-officio members of the executive board. The following person were appointed to draft a constitution and by laws: Mrs. A. G. Wilkerson, Bessie Jones, M. V. Parrish, M. L. Bonner, Misses Lucy Flint, N. H. Burroughs, Mrs. Mollie Williams, and L. A. Davis.

The visitors were invited to enjoy the hospitality and rest of the Women's Industrial Club. The congregation joined in singing "Jesus Saviour Pilot Me." After which Mrs. Lillie Fisher, of Danville, read a well prepared paper, subject: "Our Work." Adjourned.

### AFTERNOON.

The session was opened with singing "Though your sins be as scarlet," Prayer by Rev. G. C. Clement. "Look this way" was sung, after which the minutes were read and approved. Mrs. F. B. Givens and Miss A. Nugent were appointed Committee on Credentials, followed by reports from Clubs. Mrs. F. R. Givens reported the work of the Louisville Normal Literary Club. Mrs. M. E. Steward reported for the Women's Improvement Club, after which Miss G. A. Nugent read an excellent address on the history and work of the Women's Improvement Club, followed by a paper "Woman's Work" by Mrs. A. S. White which was enjoyed by all present. The regular programme was then disposed with in order to hear from the distinguished visitors in person of Prof. Kelly Miller of Washington, D. C. and Prof. G. W. Carver of Tuskegee who in company with Rev. J. M. Frank paid a visit to the Federation. The assembly was honored by an address from both of the above named gentlemen. Choice remarks were made by Mrs. L. J. Bonner of Indianapolis and Mrs. L. C. Fouse of Corydon, Ind. After which Mrs. L. A. Davis of Chicago, Ill., National Organizer was introduced and made timely remarks.

Adjourned to meet at 8 p. m. EVENING SESSION.

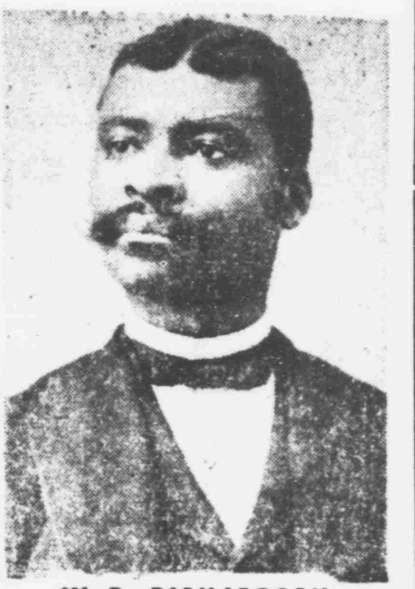
The Federation was called to order by the president. "Consider the Lilies" was beautifully and impressively rendered by the choir of the church. A fervent prayer was then offered by the pastor Rev. E. J. Harris. Selections by the choir, minutes read and approved. The president then appointed the following committee on Finance, Miss Lucy Flint, Mrs. M. Williams, Mrs. R. Edwards.

Committee on Resolutions, Mrs. S. B. Taylor, Mrs. M. Duff, Mrs. L. S. Fisher, Mrs. M. V. Parrish, reported the work of the King's Daughters of Calvary Church; Mrs. F. B. Williams reported for the Children's Friend Club, Covington, after which the audience listened to a duet by Misses Ella B. Russell and Willie B. Cooper, which all enjoyed. Mrs. Lavinia J. Sued was then presented and in her usual happy manner, held her audience from start to finish. Her address was excellent in thought, her language choice, and her delivery calm, stately and convincing. Mrs. L. B. Porter, Louisville's sweet singer, then entertained the audience with a vocal selection, "Spring is Coming." Mrs. Porter was in good voice, and amid a storm of applause had to respond to the hearty encore. Miss N. H. Burroughs, the next speaker, was introduced and spoke at length on Woman's Work. Miss Burroughs is so well known as a public speaker that no comment is necessary. Mrs. M. L. Mead, who was to have rendered a vocal solo, had to be excused, having contracted a severe cold. The President then introduced Mrs. Elizabeth Lindsay Davis, National Organizer who spoke for more than an hour on the subject which lies near her heart, "The History of the Women's Club." She handled her subject in a scholarly manner and the valuable information given will serve as an inspiration for time to come to all who heard her. At the conclusion of her address Mrs. M. E. Steward read a letter of greetings and congratulations to the Federation, from Mrs. J. Silone Yates, Jefferson City, Mo., president of the National Association of Colored Women. The same was ordered filed. The committee on Resolutions reported:

First: Thanking the pastor and members for the use of the church and the choir for its service.  
Second: That we tender Mrs. M. L. Sued of Chicago, Ill., the very able Organizer, a vote of thanks for her able advice and encouragement to us, and to Mrs. L. B. Sued Mrs. E. S. Porter, Misses Russell and Cooper for services rendered.  
Third: That we donate to the church three dollars and the Junior one dollar.  
Fourth: That the proceedings be published in the city papers.  
The report of the committee on Constitution was referred to the executive committee, after some miscellaneous business the Federation adjourned.

MISS G. A. NUGENT,  
President.

MRS. E. D. THOMAS,  
Secretary.



W. R. RICHARDSON.  
Pastor of the Little Flock Baptist Church, 1930 Hancock st. bet. Ky. & St. Catherine.

desire to thank and announce to the churches and friends the result of our rally, which took place on the third Sunday in October 1904. The day was bright and clear with every thing in our favor after morning service. The congregation rapidly gathered at 1 p. m. to listen to a powerful sermon preached by that venerable father in the gospel Rev. D. A. Gaddie, D. D. After which we made preparations for the great rally as planned by our pastor. The tables were arranged and the officers took their positions to wait on the people. Then the pastor opened his book and began to call the roll of the following names which responded as follows:

Wm. Fuqua, \$4.15; James Gore, \$2.50; Charles Allen, \$2.00; Frank Kester, \$2.75; Mary Brooks, \$1.50; from Zion Baptist church, donated \$22.33 total to her credit \$23.83; Nathan Notman, \$10.00; Henrietta Burnett \$3.00; Mary Ray \$5.00; Alice Millet, \$2.00; Alice Breckenridge, \$5.00; Annie Kemp \$5.00; George Rhodes, \$5.00; Lizzie Rowlings \$5.00; Emma Brown, 10.00; Willie Lott, \$1.00; Amanda Tolbert, \$7.00; Barney Stone, \$10.00; Chester Hayes, collected from the Sisters Union \$1.78, from Calvary Baptist church \$1.28, donated \$5.00, total to her credit \$8.04; Oora Fields, \$5.00; Mary Standard, \$1.00; Mary Gordon, \$5.50; Ed Cox, \$7.50; Mary Sutton, \$4.50; Maggie Russell, 50 cents; Mattie Buckner, \$7.00; Mamie Quarles, \$2.00; George Brown, \$1.00; Millie Stone, \$3.00; Kate Kester, \$10.00; Annie Prince, \$5.50; Harry Rowlings, \$12.65; Matilda Woodridge, \$1.00; Maria Bowman \$1.00; Amanda Logan, \$10.00; Alice Allen, \$8.40; I. C. Owsley, \$1.05; M. L. Richardson, \$3.46; Neely Eades, \$2.30; Lena Logan, \$1.00; Ellen Waller, \$1.25; Bettie Hardin \$1.00; Minnie Berry, 50 cents; George Read, \$1.00; Rev. J. H. Hightower, 20 cents; Charlotte Buckner, \$3.20; Matilda Buckner, \$3.00; Amanda Mack, \$2.50; Amanda S. Harris, of Chicago, \$5.00; Green St. Sunday-school, \$3.50; Bethel Baptist church, Forest, Ky., 50 cents; Antioch Baptist church, 50 cents; Ministers and Deacons Conference, \$1.55; Centennial Baptist Church, \$1.50; Kate Snyder, 50 cents; Mary Nelson 50 cents; Patsy Lewis, 25 cents; Leavell Logan 25 cents; Dr. P. H. Kennedy, 50 cents; Dr. J. H. Perdue, 50 cents; Prof. A. E. M. yzek, \$1.00; Green street church by Dr. Gaddie, \$5.82; Ninth Street church by Rev. Wm. Johnson, \$1.65; C. Stone, \$2.00; Little Flock Sunday School, \$21.35; Claude Jacobs, 25 cents; A. J. Hall, 50 cents; Rev. H. B. Webster, Paris, Ky., 10 cents; Rev. G. W. T. Russell, 75 cents. Money from all sources making a total of \$357.79, for which we thank our many friends who helped us.

We have paid on our property for the year 1903 \$800.00; for two years \$755.00, which leaves a balance of \$100.00, with 6 per cent interest, which we hope to pay next spring, by the help of God's power.  
Our total receipts for 1903 were \$800; disbursements \$798.85; balance in treasury \$1.15. You can plainly see we have been hard at work, praying all along the line, crying, fighting and preaching with the force of peculiar opposition, notwithstanding all, we have come out more than conquerors, through him that love us.  
Pray for us in our efforts; for I am persuaded that neither death nor life, nor angels, nor principalities, nor powers, nor things present, nor things to come, nor height, nor depth, nor any creature or relation shall be able to separate us from preaching the gospel and the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord. Amen.

### Voice of the Negro.

The "Voice of the Negro" is the name of an illustrated monthly magazine devoted to education, industry, science and art among Negroes—the initial number of which has just been issued. It is to be devoted to the interest of the Negro people and its management is to be under the direction of Dr. J. W. E. Bowen, of Gammon Theological Seminary, Atlanta, Ga., Editor; J. Max Barber, managing Editor; Messrs. H. H. Proctor, P. J. Bryant, and Emmett J. Scott as associate editors. The business management will be cared for by J. A. Hopkins. The first number is devoted to an important article reviewing the work of the Atlanta schools by Prof. John Hope of Atlanta Baptist College. An illuminating article upon the Negro as an important political factor, by Kelley Miller, of Howard University also appears. A spirited discussion, "White vs. Blacks" by Prof. W. S. Scarborough, of Wilberforce University will be found interesting. Booker T. Washington writes of the "Negro's Part in the South's Upbuilding" while Mrs. Fannie Barrier Williams of Chicago, discusses "The Negro and Public Opinion." There are several contributions by the editors themselves, and all in all, the initial publication gives promise of vigorous life. The illustrations, typographical appearance, etc., seem to indicate that those who control the magazine have high ideals. Published monthly by J. E. Nichol & Co., 718 Austell Building, Atlanta Ga. Subscription \$1.00 per year. A sample copy will be sent to who writes for it.

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### UNIVERSITY NOTES.

School opened promptly Monday morning. There was no speech making, that was done before vacation. Monday was a full day for class work.

Mr. Jacob Ross was teaching at Beattyville, but has now has now returned to his Alma Mater.

Berean had a "manger" for the holiday exercises.

Several new students have entered.

The Seniors will deliver their second orations in the chapel Wednesday, Jan. 20th.

The Trustee Board held a meeting in the holidays.

All students who went home to spend their Christmas have returned.

It does not look as if there had been any vacation, everybody is so busy with the daily work.

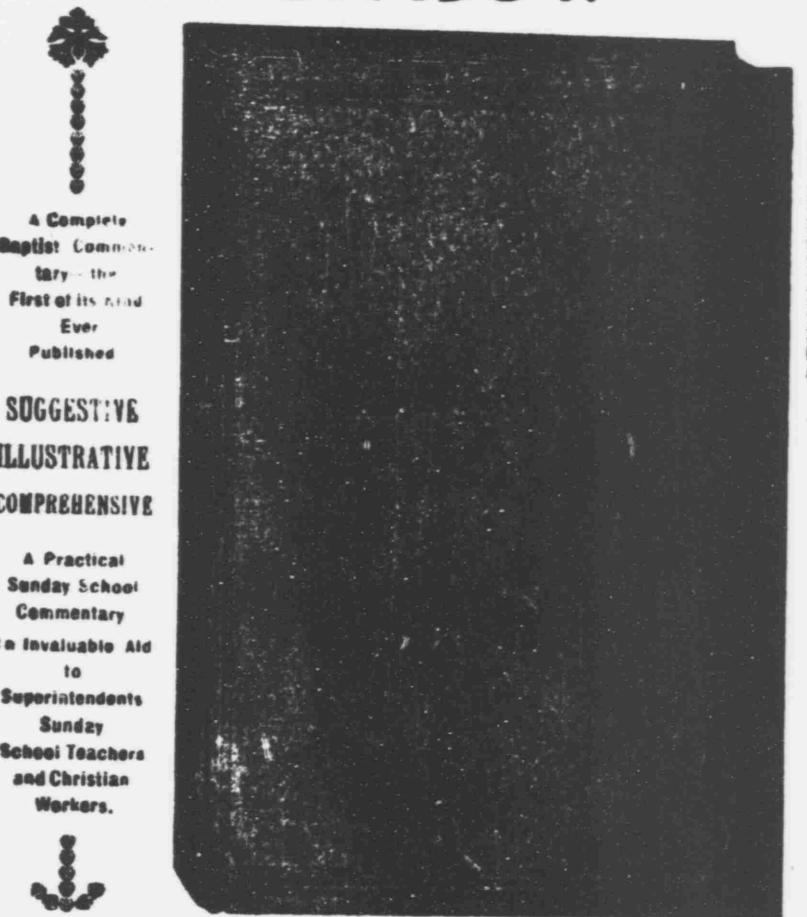
Only a few students had too much Xmas and are not able to be in classes. The teachers all seem to be alive with new energy to begin the work of the New Year.

Dr. Purce preached at Berean Sunday evening to a very appreciative audience. The Sunday-school also was well attended.

The Literary Society will have its meeting Friday night as usual. Many friends visited us during the holidays.

The Faculty met Wednesday. Mrs. Steinmetz lectured Tuesday morning on "The Life of Jesus."

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### A PASTOR STORMED.

Tuesday night December 29th 1904 47 members and friends of the Mt. Zion Baptist church at Oakland mounted the 9 o'clock train, each of them loaded with presents, and came to Bowling Green, to No. 1119 Park st., my home. I was aroused by hearing singing at my front door "We have come rejoicing bringing in the sheaves," on opening the door they marched in and filled my long extension table with every thing to make me glad. I give the name of the givers and the presents brought: L. E. Shobe, sack of sausage; Matilda Daverson, a ham; Julia Bluet, spare ribs; Ed Shobe, spare ribs and sausage; Rutha K. Shobe, jar preserves; L. Gard jar preserves; Rutha K. Shobe, a dress pattern; George Smith, a jar of jelly and sausage; Abe Carpenter, sack of meal; Virgil M. Daniel, pound of coffee; Callie Franklin, bucket of lard; C. Knowles, 10 pounds of sausage; H. Shobe, shoulder of meat; Rutha B. Shobe, fine shirt; Huntley Irvin, fruit and sausage; Rev. Franklin, shoulder of meat; Clara E. Shobe, jar of preserves; Benton Rhodes, three pounds of sausage; Quincy Allen, jar of preserves; Lucy Duncan, jar peaches; C. C. Barton, coffee and cabbage; J. H. Claybrooks, jar of preserves; James Lucas, two pounds of coffee; Alice H. Shobe, two pounds of butter; C. Allen, pound of coffee; Emma Daverson, sack of potatoes; Sam Carpenter, raisins; J. Davers, 25 pound sack of flour; Fannie Gassum, five pounds of ribs; Hayden Shobe, Jr., sack sausage; S. T. Barton, and wife, jar of peaches; G. Lewis, one pound of coffee; Pearl Kelley, pound of coffee; Taylor Daverson, \$1 worth of sugar; Elijah Carpenter, sack of coffee; C. Knowles, 5 pound sack of flour; Lucy Smith, raisins and coffee; Webb Duncan, three bars toilet soap; Pat N. Wadlow, three pounds of sugar; Emma Allen, preserves and pickles; Estella Claybrooks, pound of coffee; Minnie Wadlow, sack sausage; Willie Claybrooks, a chicken; Virgil Lewis 25 pound sack of flour.

The storm party spent the remainder of the night with us having an enjoyable time and next morning returned home to Oakland, Sunnyside and Smith Grove, on the 6 o'clock train, leaving our hearts leaping with joy. We welcome them to come again.  
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